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**NON-PROVISIONAL
UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the non-provisional utility patent application entitled:

**COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR MODULATING MUSCLE CELL AND TISSUE
CONTRACTILITY**

which is:

- ☒ an ☒ Original; or
☐ a ☐ Continuation, ☐ Divisional, or ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior Application No. _____ filed _____.
Anticipated Group/Art Unit: _____ or Class _____, Subclass _____.
☒ This non-provisional patent application is based on Provisional Patent Application No.
60/212,874, filed June 20, 2000.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification (including Abstract) and claims: 89 pages.
☐ Application Data Sheet.
☒ Newly unexecuted Declaration (original/copy).
☐ Copy of Declaration from prior application.
☐ Separate Power of Attorney (including 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement, if applicable).
☒ 14 sheets of drawings (formal) plus one copy.
☐ Microfiche computer program (Appendix).
☒ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission, including:
☒ Computer readable copy ☒ Paper Copy ☒ Verified Statement.
☐ Under PTO-1595 Cover Sheet, an assignment of the invention
☒ Name of Assignee: The Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania
☐ Certified copy(ies) of _____ Application No(s). _____ filed _____ is/are filed:
☐ herewith or ☐ in prior application &@.
☒ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under 37
C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern, or ☒ a
Non-Profit Organization.
☐ Preliminary Amendment.
☐ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449, and cited references.
☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)
☐ Other:

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